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ON MARCH 31 INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPERS LTD. RESUMED PUBLICATION
OF ITS DAILY ENGLISH LANGUAGE NEWSPAPER SUN, SINHALA NEWSPAPERS
DAVASA AND RIVIRESA, AND TAMIL NEWSPAPERS DINAPATHI AND
CHINTAMANI. ALL PAPERS CEASED PUBLICATION ON APRIL 19, 1974
WHEN THE GOVERNMENT SEALED ALL OF INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPERS OFFICES
AND FACILITIES. THERE IS SOME QUESTION OF WHETHER INDEPENDENT
WILL RESUME PUBLICATION OF ITS ENGLISH LANGUAGE WEEKEND SINCE
IT HAS BEEN PUBLISHING A COMPARABLE PAPER HONEY FOR PAST THREE
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